



Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
 Washington, D. C. 20554

In the matter of)
 Amendment of Section 73.202 (b)) MB Docket No. _____
 Table of Allotments)
 FM Broadcast Stations) RM- _____
 (New Harmony, Indiana))

PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

To the Chief, Allocations Branch:

Linda A. Davidson ("Petitioner") respectfully requests the Commission initiate a rulemaking proceeding for the purpose of considering amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules. In support whereof the following is stated:

1. Petitioner proposes the Commission allot FM channel 266A to New Harmony, Indiana as its first local FM service. This would require amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules as follows:

<u>Community</u>	<u>Present</u>	<u>Proposed</u>
New Harmony, IN	-	266A

2. New Harmony is an incorporated town located in southwestern Indiana. It is located in Butler County. In 2000, the U.S. Census Bureau estimated that New Harmony had a population of 916 persons.

3. FM channel 266A can be assigned to New Harmony in full compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements. This is illustrated the attached spacing study. Coordinates used are N 38:11:53, W 87:59:30 and are located approximately 10 Km NW of New Harmony. This site restriction is necessary to prevent short spacings with station WBDC, Huntingburg, IN and a vacant allotment in Sturgis, KY. Petitioner is confident she can find a suitable transmitter site if channel 266A is allotted as proposed.

4. Petitioner, or an entity with which she is affiliated, intends to apply for a construction permit to activate FM channel 266A if it is allotted to New Harmony as proposed. If her application is granted, she shall promptly construct and operate the proposed station.

6. Petitioner hereby verifies and affirms that the statements given in this petition for rulemaking are hers, and are accurate to the best of her knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

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266 A New Harmony, IN

Spacing study Channel 266A, New Harmony, IN
at coordinates: N 38:11:53, W 87:59:30.
Distances are in kilometers.

CHAN	FREQ	CALL	LOCATION		DIST	REQ	CLEAR
263A	100.5	WSJD	PRINCETON	IN US	38	31	7
263A	100.5	WSJD	PRINCETON	IN US	42	31	11
264C*	100.7	KGMO	CAPE GIRARDEAU	MO US	164	95	69
264B	100.7	WMGI	TERRE HAUTE	IN US	146	69	77
265B1	100.9	WBDC	HUNTINGBURG	IN US	96	96	0
265A	100.9	WZUS	MACON	IL US	196	72	124
266C1	101.1	WUBT	RUSSELLVILLE	KY US	218	200	18
266C2	101.1	WVRV	EAST ST. LOUIS	IL US	206	166	40
266A	101.1	970721MA	BLOOMFIELD	IN US	143	115	28
266A	101.1	970723MK	BLOOMFIELD	IN US	141	115	26
266A	101.1	970723ML	BLOOMFIELD	IN US	142	115	27
266A	101.1	970723MM	BLOOMFIELD	IN US	141	115	26
266A	101.1	970724MC	BLOOMFIELD	IN US	145	115	30
266A	101.1	970724MN	BLOOMFIELD	IN US	137	115	22
266A	101.1	970724NF	BLOOMFIELD	IN US	137	115	22
267B1	101.3	WMCJ	NEOGA	IL US	122	96	26
267A	101.3	ALLO	STURGIS	KY US	72	72	0
268B	101.5	WCIL-FM	CARBONDALE	IL US	133	69	64
268A	101.5	WBGW	FORT BRANCH	IN US	44	31	13
268B	101.5	WCIL-FM	CARBONDALE	IL US	133	69	64
269A	101.7	WGEL	GREENVILLE	IL US	136	31	105
269A	101.7	WTYE	ROBINSON	IL US	92	31	61

